## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA TO STATE OF MONTANA T

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE SENTENCE REVIEW DIVISION OF THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT	) ) )	OCT 2 4 2006 ORDER Ed Smith GLERK DE THE BUPREME COURT BYATE OF MONTANA
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The term of the presiding officer of the Sentence Review Division (SRD) of the Montana Supreme Court, the Hon. John W. Whelan, expires on December 31, 2006. The term of the Hon. Kurt Krueger, designated as the judge to sit on a case when an SRD member cannot, pursuant to § 46-18-902, MCA, also expires on December 31, 2006. Pursuant to § 46-18-901, MCA, the expiration of Judge Whelan's term requires the appointment of a new member to, and designation of a new presiding officer of, the SRD. The expiration of Judge Krueger's term requires appointment or reappointment of the § 46-18-902, MCA, designee. With thanks to Judge Whelan for his service and best wishes for a long and happy retirement, and with appreciation to Judge Krueger for his willingness to continue as the statutory designee,

IT IS ORDERED that the Hon. Stewart Stadler of the Eleventh Judicial District, Kalispell, Montana, is appointed as a member of the Sentence Review Division effective January 1, 2007, for a term of three years, expiring December 31, 2009.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Hon. Kurt Krueger of the Second Judicial District, Butte, Montana, is reappointed as the designee to the Sentence Review Division effective January 1, 2007, for a term of three years, expiring December 31, 2009.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Hon. Randal Spaulding of the Fourteenth

Judicial District, Roundup, Montana, is designated as the presiding officer of the Sentence Review Division effective January 1, 2007.

The Clerk of this Court shall mail a true copy hereof to the Hon. John W. Whelan, the Hon. Kurt Krueger, the Honorable Randal Spaulding, all other members of the Sentence Review Division, the State Bar of Montana, and to Shelly Hinson, Judicial Assistant for the Sentence Review Division of the Montana Supreme Court. The Clerk shall also provide notice of this order to all District Court Clerks.

DATED this  $\frac{\chi \eta^{h}}{day}$  day of October, 2006.

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